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Do you wish to make your wife, sweetheart, brother, sister, father or mother a fine present? You will find watches, diamonds, jewelry, clocks, silverware, optical goods and novelties in abundance at Harrison's Jewelry Bazaar, 22 Salem avenue.

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### The Fire Yesterday.

An alarm of fire was turned in yesterday morning from box 14, to which the Friendships responded. The fire was in the house of Robert Leek, colored, on Peach hill. The furniture was removed. and the house badly damaged. The loss will amount to about \$200, with no insurance. The fire originated in the ceiling from a defective stove pipe.

No Health With Impure Blood.

Dr. David's lodo-ferrated Sarsaparilla cures syphilis, scrofula cancer, goltre, and all blood and skin diseases. If you suffer with any of the above symptoms and will be cured without endangering any other healthy portion of your system, take Dr. David's lodo-ferrated Sarsaparila, the greatest blood purifier, not only of the nineteenth century, but of all centuries. Don't put off taking it but get it at once. Price \$1 per bottle, six bottles for \$5, at Massic & Martin's, Roanoke, Va.

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All the time. I am listless and not interested in anything. My foon does not digest, and I have such an oppression and fullness after eating. Everything I cat seems to ferment and turn som at once, so that my food not only does not do me any good, but really makes me sick.

This is really a bad case of dyspepsia, and we advise the use of Dr. David's Cherry and Iron Tonic Bittere, to give tone to the stemach and cause the blood to assimilate. Trice, \$1.50 per bottle, six bottles for \$5.00, at Massic & Martin's, Hoanoke, Va.

OLD papers for the next week at 10 cents per hundred.

For Malaria, Liver Trouble, or Indigestion, use BROWN'S IRON BITTERS

#### THE TIMES KODAK.

Items of News Gathered About

J. M. Rollins and family left Salem in the fall of 1890 for Osaka, Japan, where he was stationed as a missionary for the Methodist Church. Evidently he must have had quite a gay time over there with the natives, for the St. Louis Ad-vocate, an organ of the M. E. Church, in its last issue makes the following state. its last issue, makes the following state-ment: "It is with very great pain that we announce that J. M. Rollins, formerly of the St. Louis Conference, and for several years a missionary of our church in Japan, has returned home in disgrace, having been gu, lay of gross imporality having been guilty of gross immorality. He has surrendered his credentials, and is no longer a minister or member of our church."

Early Wednesday morning, as Thomas Early Wednesday morning, as Thomas Shanks was driving a wagon loaded with cordwood down a hill near his home over on the Steelton property, the wagon capsized, and Mr. Shanks, in jumping, broke his leg and dislocated his ankle, Dr. Killian was summoned to attend the sufferer. sufferer.

sufferer.

Last summer E. W. Taylor, whose home is in Richmond, but who came here from the Standard Oil Company's office in Lynchburg, obtained a position as bookkeeper and paymaster at the Salem Furnace. On Monday afternoon he mysteriously disappeared and his accounts are reported to be four thousand dollars behind, including a draft of two thousand dollars which was sent from the Philadelphia office to pay the employes and which is believed to be missing. A warrant has been sworn out for his arrest for embezzlement.

Students of Roanoke College wanted

Students of Roanoke College wanted a holiday Thursday and to obtain it on Wednesday night locked a cow in the chapel, littered straw through the college building, turned the supply pipe to the steam-heater boiler into a lecture room, flooding the latter and cracking the boiler. They got the holiday.

Capt. Frank Board has purchased Miss Martha Deyerle's farm near Fort Lewis (a part of the Joseph Deyerle es-tate), paying between six and seven thousand dollars for it.

The steel cage from St. Louis for Roanoke county jail arrived yesterday.

The annual celebration of the Demos-The annual celebration of the Demosthenian Literary Society for Roanoke College took place last night in the town, which was well filled with friends. The programme, which was incerspersed with delightful music, commenced with an address by President C. E. Hirshberger, of Virginia, who took for his subject "The pearl of thought," and was followed by E. H. Copenhaver with an oration on "The heirs of ages." A debate then ensued upon the question, "Resolved, That college fraternities are commendable organizations," J. W. Lamm, of North Carolina, ably supporting the affirmative against S. J. Homer, of Indian Territory, a natural born orator, who has been selected to represent the Demosthenean Literary Society at the State oratorical contest to be held in Richmond in June. The final oration, "Though'ts victories" was delivered by C. W. Cassel, of Virginia. The celebration was thoroughly enjoyed by those present who considered it the equal in every respect of any of those which have gone before.

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Mr. Phillip Reed, who has been quite indisposed for some days past, is somewhat better.

In Roanoke county circuit court yesterday afternoon the jury brought in a verdict in favor of G. W. Bethei & Co. vs. the Salem Improvement Company for \$4,0.00 due for brick manufactured by the former for the latter. The lawyers for the defense made a motion for a new trial.

Colonel Hansbrough, counsel for N. Hockman in the \$10,000 damage suit against the Norfolk and Western railroad, decided at this term in favor of the company, will probably move to have the verdict set aside.

Denit & Webber, owners of the Times Register, have recently purchased the Crabtree building, next to the Presbyterian Church, now occupied by the Dillard Brothers and Puckett's butcher shop- This makes the seventh builting owned by this firm, who thus show their faith in Salem real estate, having invested their "spare cash" tate, having invested their "spare cash"

Lewis Shanks is at home for a few

Capt. B. Tamblyn is negotiating with English capitalists to take hold of the Salem Rolling Mills and put them at work, with every show for success.

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A few days ago Luke Sears found on the farm of James McCray, on Back creek about eight miles south of Salem, the battered remains of a large red, white and blue fire balloon which is believed to be the one sent up on the night of the 26th of December by the Disciples Sunday school, of this place.

Owing to there being non-connection of trains from the North Wednesday morning, some beautiful floral offerings of esteem from Witz, Biedler & Co. and their employes, to the memory of their friend, W. W. Patton, did not arrive until yesterday. Capt. J. C. Langhorne took them in his carriage and laid them tenderly upon the new-made grave yesterday. tenderly upon the new-made grave yesterday afternoon.

#### Police Court News.

Richard Finney was given tendays in jail by Police Justice Turner for stealing a crate of eggs from the Adams Ex-

press Company. RADAM'S MICROBE KILLER.

Of Interest to Ladies.

Every lady knows whether she is trobled with any of the various complaints peculiar to her sex, and if she is, it will cost her nothing to consult privately either in person or by letter, and thus learn of the remedy that will cure her. Every irregularity or unnaturalness, all inflammations, ulcerations and weaknesses are considered. cured, and the system fully restored to a normal condition by the use of the microbe killer. It is a simple remedy, inexpensive, pleasant, effective and perfectly harmiess. Fifty page book free. Johnson & Johnson arents. free. Johnson & Johnson agents. Herald.

#### Translated.

A lady writes from Germany that she is discouraged about learning the Ger-

A German friend who tried to conerse with her in English made such a mistake that she fears she may do as badly in German.

The German gentleman innocently gave this rendering of a familiar say-

ing:
"The ghost is willing but the meat is

#### In a Divorce Court.

Defendant's Lawyer-If your hono please, I would like to ask a recess for ten minutes. A maiden aunt of the de-fendant has died and left him five hundred thousand dollars. I wish to consult with my client for a moment.

Plaintiff's Attorney (hurriedly)—The lady whom I have the honor to represent instructs me to withdraw this complaint. If the court please, I move that the case be dismissed.—Texas Siftings

#### Diplomacy.

"Johnny," said his mother, "do you know who are those cookies I left in

the pantry?"
"I do, mamma," replied the noble
boy, his eyes filling with tears, "but it
would not be manly for me to tell."
And that is how it came that Johnny's brother received two undeserved spankings—one for the cakes he did not steal and another for his truthful deuial.—Indianapolis Journal.

Restaurant Grammar.

Beefsteak Ben (waiter in a Bowery restaurant)-De dude waiter must be

Porkehop Joe (another waiter)-How-Beefsteak Ben—He yelled "Two roast beeves!" to the kitchen, 'stead o' "Two

roast beefs!"-Life. Something with Excitement to It.

"I got the champion pugilist to go out with me and see a football game the "Did he like it?" "Like it? Why, he was in eestasies

over it. He wants no such tame af-fairs as prize-ring encounters after this. He wants football."—N. Y. Press. A Strong Deterrent.

Dusty Rhodes - I believe I would make way with myself but for one Mrs. Dogood-What impulse restrains

Dusty Rhodes-I'm afraid some newsaper would say I "suicided."-N. Y.

#### She Hit the Mark.

Sarcastic Policeman - Don't throw any of your eggs at that sneaking dog, ma'am. You'll hit some innocent per-son on the other side of the street. Angry Market Woman—I can throw ma'am.

as straight as you can shoot!-Chicago Tribune.

Dusty Rhodes-I thought you might be willing, perhaps, to bestow a dime as a thank offering for continued health

as a thank offering of continued and prosperity.

Mrs. Dogood—What have you done with the dime I gave you a year ago, you improvident man?—Truth.

#### Preferred Generosity.

Big Sister-The next time a gentleman brings me a box of candy, I don't want you to come in and ask for some

in his presence, do you hear?
Little Brother—Huh! If I waited till he went, you wouldn't give me more'r a smell.—Good News.

#### A Great Admirer.

"Don't you admire Carlyle?" said the

literary young woman.
"I should say so," was the other girl's proud reply. "I am from Kentucky proud reply. "I am from Ker myself."—Des Moines Argonaut.

Quite the Reverse Maude-Who was the friend I saw with you a few moments ago? Ellen—He's not a friend, I'm engaged

to him.—Chicago News Record.

Husband-How is it that the cats didn't trouble us last night? Wife-I threw out one of your new neckties .- Truth.

A SAD AFFLICTION.



Judge-What is your age, madam? Aged Witness-I have seen thirtyseven-summers

Judge-How long have you been blind?-Texas Siftings.

At a lecture on "The Decline of Literature" the eloquent orator shouted: "Where are the Chaucers, and Shakes-peares, and Miltons, and Spencers, and Macaulays? Where are they, I say?' And a voice answered sadly from the gallery: "All'dead!"-Boston Globe.

He Read the Paper.

First Sportsman—Is your gun loaded? Second Sportsman—No. First Sportsman-Then, for Heaven's sake, load it! Do you want it to go off accidentally and kill somebody?—Truth

Yale-Are you going to study political economy? Harvard — Horrors, no! Why, my father's worth at least three millions. -Chicago News Record.

No Need to Study It.

Takes Time. Wife-Isn't that play you went to last night unusually long? . Husband-Yes. In the second act the star has to put on her gloves .- N. Y.

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It prints a larger number of advertisements than any other daily printed in a city of 25,000 inhabitants in America.

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Coal, Iron, Timber, Blue Grass.

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BECAUSE you don't know that THE TIMES is the representative organ of that population and that capital.

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